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Expected Tomorrow

WORKERS PRESS ON

Engineers Confident 1200-
Mile Levee System From
Cairo to Gulf Will Hold

Cairo was the drive vortex of a

swirling sea of flood waters today,

with the rampaging Ohio lapsing at

the top of the 60 foot concrete levee

protecting the city, and only a three

foot bulkhead atop the six foot ball

standing between doom and the 61

foot flood crest, which engineers pre-

dict will arrive tomorrow or Wednes-

day.

Below Cairo, the confluence of the
Ohio and the Mississippi, army engi-

neers were equally confident that the
1200 mile levee system stretching

from Cairo to New Orleans will resist

the flood tide which already has driven

more than a million people from their

homes, taking death toll of more than

425 and causing damage conservatively

estimated at \$400,000,000.

As the engineers employed their

pick and shovel army of 100,000, and

anchored barges loaded with material

to bolster weak spots developing in

the levee system, army and Red Cross

officials perfected plans for the care

of thousands of refugees already made

homeless by the flood, and the thou-

sands more who will be evacuated

should the levees give way.

The Mississippi "appeared to be un-

der control" Major General George

Moseley, declared after an aerial sur-

vey. However, possible precaution has

been taken against loss of life, he

said, and little remains to be done, ex-

cept to care for the refugees.

Lieutenant Colonel Eugene S. Rey-

bold, head of the army engineers in

the Memphis district, declared today:

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Activity Seen at Weather Works, Preparing for Feb. 2

CANOE RIDGE WEATHER WORKS,
GOBBLES' KNOB, PUNXSUTAWNEY, Feb. 1—Certain signs of activity

at the nationally-famous weather
works, indicated unmistakably today

that the weather prophet, the ground-

hog, was getting ready for business to-

morrow.

With much fanfare the groundhog
will emerge from his home tomorrow
and if he casts a shadow in the sun,
there will be six weeks more of Winter.

And if there is no sun with which to
cast a shadow, there will be a sign of
Spring here.

There were last-minute reports, un-

verified, however, of a "sit-down"

strike at the weather works.

QUARRYVILLE, Feb. 1—Members of
the Slumbering Groundhog Lodge were
believed today preparing for the
momentous event tomorrow, when they
appear attired in top hats and significant
vestments of their lodge to see
the groundhog forecast the weather.

Farewell Party Tendered
To Two Bristol Misses

Miss Dorothy Mulholland, Farragut
avenue, and Miss Phyllis Werner,
Fillmore street, were tendered a fare-

well party Saturday evening, it being
a surprise to both girls. The guests
assembled at the home of Miss Anita
Zug, Jackson street, then went to Miss

Mulholland's home where the party
was held. Games and dancing were
enjoyed. Later the group went to the
home of the Misses Violet Ruth and
Irene Ranck, Monroe street, where re-

freshments were served. The dining
room was decorated in red and white
in keeping with the Valentine season.

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ley; Ben Dickinson, Philadelphia.

CORRECTION

In making acknowledgement of Red
Cross donations in Friday's issue of
The Courier, the name Charles O'Brien
was given. This should have read
Harry McBrien. The name Mrs. Jos-
eph Vansant should have been Mrs.
V. V. Vansant.

RECEIVES MERIT STRIPE

HOLLYWOOD, Fla., Feb. 1—Accord-
ing to orders just issued here at the
Winter Home of Riverside Military
Academy, Cadet William Wright of
Bristol, has been publicly commended
and awarded a Merit Stripe for his
outstanding performance of duties.
Special interest attaches to this an-
nouncement since Riverside is not only
the nation's largest military prep
school but has also received the U. S.
War Department's highest official
rating annually since 1923.

Resident Here For Fifty Years Dies On Saturday

Mrs. Vincenza Ricciardi, wife of the
late Anthony Ricciardi, died at her
home, 612 Wood street, Saturday after
a brief illness. She had been a resi-
dent of Bristol for the past 50 years.

Survivors of Mrs. Ricciardi include
the following daughters and sons: Mrs.
Daisy Napoli, Mrs. Molly Accardi, Miss
Anna Ricciardi, Frank and John Ric-
ciardi, Bristol; and Peter and Michael,
Washington, D. C.

Relatives and friends are invited to
attend the funeral from the late resi-
dence of the deceased, Wednesday at
11 a. m. High mass at 10 o'clock in
St. Ann's Church. Interment in St.
Mark's Cemetery, under direction of
Galerano.

**SCHOOLS URGED TO MAKE
THEIR OWN CHOICE**

County Superintendent Thinks
Each District Should
Decide for Itself

20 DISTRICTS COMBINED

That school districts should make
their own choice, as concerns con-
solidation, is the belief of J. Harry
Hoffman, Doylestown, superintendent
of Bucks County public schools.

Superintendent Hoffman states that
he prefers, and carries out the policy,
of explaining to school directors the
advantages and disadvantages of con-
solidation. Then the directors can
make their own choice.

About 23 years ago, Mr. Hoffman
said he would like to see consolidation
in its entirety become a reality in the
Bucks county rural school districts.

Almost a quarter of a century later
through the indefatigable efforts of
County Superintendent Hoffman,
Bucks county today possesses 20 com-
pletely or partially consolidated school
districts.

Of this number, there are 11 com-
pletely consolidated school districts
and nine partially.

The completely consolidated school
districts include Doylestown, Durham,
Falls, Lower Makefield, Lower South-
ampton, Nockamixon, Northampton,
Upper Southampton, Warminster,
Warwick and West Rockhill town-
ships.

Partially consolidated school dis-
tricts, numbering nine, include Ben-
alem, Chalfont, borough, Bucking-
ham township, Hilltown, Middletown,
New Britain township, Solebury,
Springfield and Warrington townships.

Bucks county contains 54 school
districts, including 22 boroughs.

The 54 school districts minus the
22 boroughs leaves 32 townships in
which are situated the consolidated
and one-room rural school houses.

Of the 32 townships, consolidation
has been begun or completed in 20,
leaving 12 without consolidation as
hangovers of the one-room school
districts.

Purpose Is To Promote Thrift
Among Members, Afford
Savings Opportunity

MEMBERSHIP IS NOW 59

MORRISVILLE, Feb. 1—Rapid
growth in the Bucks County Teachers'
Federal Credit Union was seen when
the first annual meeting of the organi-
zation was held at "Summerseat" last
week. The organization, perfected last
fall, received its charter in November,
with 14 members.

A 100 per cent growth in member-
ship was announced in December, with
the number increased to 59 by the time
of the meeting held on January 12th at
Fallsington.

The purpose of this union is to pro-
mote thrift among its members by af-
fording them an opportunity to accu-
mulate their savings and to create for
them a source of credit for loans for
provident or productive purposes.

The field of membership in the union
is limited to those persons employed
by the school boards of Bucks county
and their immediate families. The lo-
cal union is an offshoot of a national
co-operation credit movement sponsored
by the Federal government.

The board of directors of the Bucks
County Teachers' Credit Union at pres-
ent consists of Eugene Barrett, Bristol;
Peter Gruber, Sellersville; Per-
kasie; William Erwin, Morrisville;
James P. Doheny, Falls township;
Mary M. Cooley, Morrisville; Margaret
Lehman, Doylestown; and Andrew J.
Chamberlin, Falls township.

Dublin borough, none.
Durham township, Excelsior, 1916;
Rufe's, 1925; Lehnenburg, 1926.

Doylestown borough, none.
Doylestown township, Shady Re-
treat, 1928; Tabor Home, 1930; Edison,
Pebble Hill, Sunnyside, Castle Valley,
Sandy Ridge, 1936.

Haycock township, Dunlap's, 1914.

Hilltown township, Blue and Mil-
ler's, 1936.

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ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Sagolla, 320
Otter street, announced the engage-
ment of their daughter, Miss Laura L.
Sagolla, to Richard V. Sabatini, Wil-
son avenue, last evening at a family
gathering at the Sagolla home. Those
attending were from Bristol, Philadel-
phia; Brookline and Camden, N. J.

Refreshments were served. Miss Sa-
golla was the recipient of many gifts.

Miss Alethia Myers, 145 Otter street,
spent Saturday and Sunday visiting
friends at West Chester State Teach-
ers College.

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HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY

HULMEVILLE

sheriff of Mercer County. Others pres-
ent were: Fred Darling, manager;
James Collins, trainer; John Lloyd,
Arthur Chambers, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen
Larkin, Mr. and Mrs. John Bud-
dal, Jules and Alexander Chmielewski,
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nagel, Val Mis-
sawowski, J. Lawrence, James Care-
ton, Andrew Ferko, William Joseph,
Robert Yarson, Daniel Adamson,
Albert Wilson, John Murphy and Frank
Knosky. The afternoon was spent in a
social way, and a buffet supper was
served.

Thomas Fagan has returned from
the hospital and is recuperating at the
home of his sister, Mrs. Havard Himmel-
right.

Tomorrow evening Mrs. C. Wesley
Haefner will entertain members of her
classing class.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Russell Harrison
and son Raymond, and Miss Little A.
Smith paid visits on Saturday to Wil-
liam Harrison, and Charles Haefner
and family. Yesterday Mr. and Mrs.
William Stumm, Merchantville, N. J.,
were entertained at the Haefner home.

CROYDON

Mrs. Edward Scharg and son entered
friends from Bristol, Saturday evening.
An orchestra provided music for dancing
and singing, games were enjoyed, and a
lunch was served to fifty guests.

Mrs. James Tyler is very ill.

Mrs. Frank Vogel spent several days
last week with relatives in Philadel-
phia.

Mrs. Susan Smith who has been very
ill, is recuperating.

Mr. and Mrs. William Siebold have
purchased a new Graham sedan.

Thieves entered the Summer home
of Mrs. G. Straub and the Ward cottage
on Haunted Lane, and stole kitchen
utensils. They also damaged the interior
of the properties, and some furniture.

EDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Rothstein enter-
tained the Highlander F. C. New Jersey
State Soccer champions of Trenton,
yesterday, also John Casiah, pres-
ident; James Robertson, vice pres-
ident, and Hugh MacDonald, secretary,
of the New Jersey Soccer-Football As-
sociation; and Albert Cooper, former

Refreshments were served. Due to
the illness of Mrs. Edward H. Mc-
Curry, chairman, her committee con-
ducted the party. The committee was
composed of Mrs. Joseph Snyder, Mrs.
Marvel Durham, Mrs. Ellen Devine,
the Misses Frances McFadden, Cecilia
Kelly, Jane Lynn and Helen Flanigan.

Highest contestants of each game:
Pinochle: Lawrence Gallagher, 816;
Jack Mulligan, 782; Warren Arm-
strong, Jr., 771; Mrs. L. Connors, 769;
E. Hellings, 768.

"500": Mrs. F. Nealis, 5020; Mrs.
Maurice Roche, 4710; Miss Margaret
McIlvaine, 4310; Mrs. P. McGonigle,
3930; Mrs. McGee, 3620.

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HARVARD AND HISTORY

"If a student in America received three hours to concentrate on one subject, he would die of shock," President Conant of Harvard told the Association of American Universities, meeting in Washington. "As it is now, he has to jump from algebra to tap dancing to Cherokee to Choctaw. Our students emerge from college a wonderful smattering of everything."

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TEXAS SUCCUMBS

Coach Dana X. Bible's installation as head football coach at Texas University is noteworthy in that it marks the passing of a last frontier.

In the era when over-stuffed stadia were a national contagion, and football attained a prestige out of all relation with its intrinsic value to college life, Texas was the rugged individual. Its football hands were on a social par with the debating team. Its small stadium was good enough. There was no coaching problem beyond that of finding a mentor who could blend somewhat graciously with the Austin landscape.

One need but recall that a decade ago the hiring of Bible would have been unthinkable to measure the pass to which Texas football has come in 10 years. At that time, Bible coached the University's natural rival, Texas A. and M., and the rivalry was the thing. Texas could play out a losing string without causing a headache on the campus, if on Thanksgiving Day it could beat Bible's team.

True, Texas in the days that it pointed at Bible and the rival from College Station, was a school out of step with a football age. But we wonder if Texas, giving Bible \$15,000 annually and a 10-year contract, thrice as much as it pays its most gifted professor, twice what it pays its president, isn't today an even greater anachronism.

The sober weighing of values that came with the depression, and the inevitable comparison between the college spectacle and the professional sport, are maturing the public point of view on football. As coaching material runs, Bible currently is a fair \$15,000 gamble. We simply doubt that any college coach will be worth as much 10 years hence.

Our publishers of 1,000-page novels have much to answer for. In Ohio, a woman has yawned 17 days.

ECHOES OF THE PAST

By Courier Staff Member

Review of the news as it appeared in the Buckle County Gazette issued at Bristol, July 29, 1875. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published in Bristol, was discontinued following its merger with the Courier.

Canal boats are coming down from the coal regions pretty lively.

The school board have awarded the contract for building a new school house on Wood street to Edmund Lawrence.

The army worm is doing considerable damage in the neighborhood. Fifteen acres of millet belonging to David Landreth was destroyed by them in two days' time.

Samuel S. Rue has the contract for building the new engine house on the corner of Mulberry and Pond streets.

Bucks County delegates to the Erie Convention are: Dr. Nelson Appleback, of Sellersville; Henry Lefferts, of Northampton; Allen H. Heist, of Doylestown; Reuben C. Bachman, of Durham; and George Ross, of Doylestown.

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The mystified Jimmy arrived.

From the tail of her eye she could see Simes busy on the terrace, removing the coffee cups and liqueur glasses, so there could be no chance of his spying on them.

She hung up the receiver.

"Do forgive me for bringing you back here on a pretext," she smiled at Jimmy, lowering her voice, "but it's the only possible way to get rid of Wallace Briscoe, who's well meaning, but a prize bore, and doesn't know when to leave. Joel just phoned to say he's detained till very late this evening, so I told him you'd escort me to the opening of the Spearhead Inn. Joel himself was taking me," she added boldly, since in the matter of fibbing one might as well be hung for a sheep as a lamb.

"And—and you want me to take his place? Is that it?"

"I want to get rid of Wallace Briscoe now we've used him to the best advantage," she said quickly. "I'm going right back and tell him that you and I have an appointment with Joel. That's the only way out."

Jimmy looked awkward. He had subterfuge. Besides, there was the question of money. He had very little money. What would it cost?

"Isn't Spearhead Inn a swank sort of place in Westchester? I'm not dressed, Mrs. Vandaveer. I couldn't go there."

She dismissed that airily, saying that half the people at the opening would be in sports clothes, anyhow. She herself would wear a suit.

"Joel's reserved a table in the gardens for supper and dancing. With this moon it will be beautiful out there. Come on, no arguments," she said gaily, taking him by the arm and leading him back to the terrace where she informed Wallace Briscoe, apologetically, that her husband had just phoned to ask Mr. Randolph and herself to join him at his club.

She thought: The old bore doesn't belong to the Metropolitan, so that's okay.

Wallace Briscoe suggested that he drop them in his car, but she declined, saying her own car was waiting and she must excuse herself now, and change into a suit.

Wallace hung on, however, until she reappeared. He insisted on seeing her and young Randolph into her limousine, and officially directed her chauffeur, from the sidewalk, to drive her to the Metropolitan Club.

"To the Spearhead Inn, please, Lewis." When they had driven three blocks from the house, she gave her instructions.

"Very good, Madam," rejoined Lewis, like the excellent servant that he was, though he held his own opinions as to the charge of direction.

The gardens of the beautiful country inn were full of fashionable people when they arrived. Lorraine nodded right and left, and said airily to the head waiter as she slipped him a five-dollar bill unseen by Jimmy: "Put another table on the edge of the dance floor, please."

Which was fortunate.

But Youth clamored in the Springtime. Against her own will, Luana knew she was falling in love.

Did he love her in return?

He gave no sign.

Wasn't it likely that he had a girl down South where he came from? That he might even be privately engaged to her, for all she knew about him?

Or was beautiful Mrs. Joel Vandaveer beginning to fill his horizon, with her alluring knowledge of the world—her sophisticated seductiveness?

As she stepped out of the shop that evening and across the sidewalk of Fifth Avenue to "Handsome," and his waiting car, the masonry was still upon her, though she did not show it.

"Handsome" sprang forward. His white teeth gleamed in his sunburned face. Everything about him shone, from his snowy shirt front, with the gleaming pearl in the center, to his hair that looked like polished lacquer and the glossy sheen of his tall silk hat.

"I'm in luck, Beautiful. Now, whither away?"

"To the Spearhead Inn, please.

It's the Spring opening or something.

"It'll be nice and cool there."

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The girl was Luana Waters.

Luana and "Handsome" had been at the inn a couple of hours before

what was the matter. After remaining there quite a while he struck a match down near the floor, when an explosion immediately took place, burning him severely in the face and hands, taking off the skin, making blisters, etc. Dr. Schenck was sent for and remedies applied. Pain was very severe but not lasting a long time, and he is now much better. . . . The fire blazed in the house some time and but for the presence of mind of two gentlemen who put it out, a conflagration might have followed.

Mitchell & Kirkman have set 59 marble head stones, with the name and regiment of the soldier cut thereon, and one block marked "Unknown" at the White Hall Soldiers' Cemetery. They also have a contract for setting the stones in the cemetery at Beverly.

MORRISVILLE—Brown & Vanzant are erecting at their works a new water wheel, to increase the motive power of their mill's.

The rubber manufacturing company are putting in more machinery, in anticipation of doing a large business.

Cheston Hutchinson is building a large brick school house, to be used for a grammar school.

The county commissioners intend consulting an architect in reference to the cost of a new court-house for Doylestown. After the figures are obtained tax-payers will find that double the amount estimated will be required to finish it. A \$120,000 court-house will cost \$240,000. It always comes that way.

HULMEVILLE—Harvesting is about

over. It was light work this year. The browns that will emphasize the rich hay and wheat did not yield the usual richness of his coloring.

Men with sallow complexions should avoid wearing greens, bright blues, which emphasize the yellow skin cast and cream, tan, and gray, which result in a monotonous color scheme because of the lack of contrast.

The highway committee is at work on some of the streets of the borough, removing loose stones and putting gravel where it is needed. . . .

The canal company have put up two new repair shops at the outlet lock.

The new tug-boat "Josephine Lincoln" owned by Captain John Lincoln, made its trial trip yesterday from Bordentown to Bristol and return.

COLOR STYLES FOR MEN ADVANCE WITH THE PASSING YEARS

By Rhadene A. Armstrong

(Home Economics Representative)

Since American society began, our men have dressed in sombre, dark clothes. They had no court elegant to set the styles for them as did the colorfully dressed European men. Early American men had left such foibles either by choice or by force of circumstance. All through early history they wore clothes made of heavy, severe fabrics, most of which were made at home by their women-folk.

It is interesting to notice the psychological effect of color. Possibly in sheer relief from a prolonged period of mental stress and strain, men introduced color into their clothes after the depression, in 1934. Then, too, due to the many college men entering business in the last year or two, fabric, line, and color of business clothes have changed considerably.

Today even checks and plaids in soft colors are acceptable for street wear, although the less prominent designs are preferable. Colored shirts that harmonize with the suitings are popular. Gay ties, socks, handkerchiefs, and sweaters have never been more plentiful.

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"Orchids. Almost as luscious-looking as the girl that's going to wear them."

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In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings. :: :

IS CHRISTENED

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Downs, Race street, was christened Robert Downs in St. Mark's Church, yesterday. The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Culligan, Spruce street.

MAKE JAUNTS

Miss Anna Eastlack, 903 Garden street, attended a party Saturday evening at the home of Miss Ruth Spruce, Wissomming.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harvie, Bath Road, were guests the latter part of the week of Mr. and Mrs. William Summershooe, Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stout and Mr. and Mrs. Allison Stou and family, Trenton, N. J., were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Nichols, 116 Wood street. Mr. and Mrs. Nichols spent Saturday and Sunday in New York City with relatives and friends.

Alfred Eastlack, 903 Garden street, spent the weekend visiting friends in Philadelphia.

ENTERTAINED LOCALLY

Miss Claire E. Inchfield, Jersey City, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Sweeney, Roselle, N. J., spent the weekend with Mrs. Mary V. Sweeney, 242 Buckley street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Morrison, Burlington, N. J., spent Friday until Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Snyder, 116 Buckley street.

Miss Isabel Moberly, St. Louis, Mo., arrived Saturday at the home of the Misses Meta and Emily Landreth, 1024 Radcliffe street, where she is paying an extended visit. A weekend guest of the Misses Landreth was Miss Georgine Hughes, Philadelphia.

John Ferrara, Philadelphia, spent a day last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Ferrara, Dorrance street, and also Mr. and Mrs. Gaetano Greco, 337 Jefferson avenue.

Miss Nellie Main, South Langhorne, was a Friday guest of Miss Elva Cruse, 421 Otter street. Guests of Miss Cruse over the weekend were Miss Ethel Cruse, Upper Darby, and Mrs. Ernest Cruse, Picture Rock.

Miss Helen Cornely, Oak Lane, and Miss Katherine McDermott, Atlantic City, N. J., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Cornely, 703 Pine St., from Friday until Sunday.

Robert Campbell, Mayfair, spent a few days during the past week visiting Ronald Vasey, Pond street.

Mrs. Patrick Corrigan and Miss Henrietta Morris, Trenton, N. J., were dinner guests the latter part of the week of Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Larrisey, 636 Beaver street.

Combating Typhoid

Young and old alike flock to the Red Cross vaccination stations at Louisville, Ky., where the danger of epidemic is imminent. This young flood refugee is shown getting her "shot" of serum.

unwind, release the safety bar of the wringer, lift the rolls and unwind the garment. Be sure the wringer is not in motion.

Faded ecru curtains can be restored to freshness by using tea or a tint dye in the last rinse water. The quantity of tea used depends upon the shade desired. A wet fabric is twice as deep in color as it will be when dry.

If your wash shows signs of spotting and discoloration from rust stains in water pipes, use a small faucet filter, and this disturbing problem will be ended immediately.

Buy good fabrics—buy guaranteed fast colors—use reliable soaps—and launder frequently.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS**Dressing Days**

These are dressing days, when many an inexperienced cook is struggling to achieve triumph in flavor dressing.

In preparing a bread dressing, dice and brown bacon together with the onion before adding to bread crumbs.

Moisten and season the dressing as usual, not forgetting celery tops and parsley. The bacon and onion browned together add a splendid flavor. Melt the quantity of fat desired for the dressing at the same time.

A Ham "Wrinkle"

In broiling ham, dot the meat with a small quantity of peanut butter and allow it to melt into the ham before serving.

Pouring On Oil

Olive oil has many uses besides its necessary two-thirds' place in the French dressing. Italian cooks can teach us much on using olive oil to enhance the flavor of most vegetables.

Did you know that a tablespoon of olive oil added to a dish of baked beans, before placing them in the oven, will improve the flavor and make this juice, pulp, chopped cherries, and

cold weather dish more digestible. A few drops of olive oil rubbed on the roasting fowl also will help to bring that rich golden-brown shade.

THAT NEEDED TANG

There is no better way to guarantee the balance and excess of a substantial meal than to include citrus fruit, either as entree, salad, or dessert, or in its popular new role with the meat course.

Smart hostesses have been quick to adopt the excellent dining program of serving a refreshing, tart ice with the roast or fowl. It does pick up the whole meal, and has the added virtues of being healthful, inexpensive and easy to prepare.

The market now boasts an abundance of Florida citrus fruits that are rich in juice and flavor, besides being reasonable in cost. Remember that the small grapefruit will squeeze more easily than their portly and more expensive brothers.

Try this ice with your main course the next time you are entertaining:

Molded Grapefruit Juice

One package lemon gelatine, 1/4 cups boiling water, two tablespoons sugar, three-fourths cup Florida grapefruit juice, pinch of salt.

Dissolve gelatine in boiling water.

Add grapefruit juice, sugar and salt.

Turn into molds and chill until firm.

This may be prepared in tiny individual molds.

Sweet Secrets

If you want to serve a fruit cup which includes grapefruit or the fruit juice as a dessert, prepare a syrup of sugar and water, rather than attempt to sweeten the fruit directly with sugar.

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ALL-SPORTS BANQUET IS ARRANGED AT LANGHORNE

SOUTH LANGHORNE, Feb. 1.—The South Langhorne Athletic Club will on Wednesday evening conduct its first annual all-sports banquet. The club, which was organized three years ago, states that 300 are expected.

There will be represented, according to a club official, well known sportsmen from all branches of sports. "Clipper" Smith, head football coach at Villanova, is expected, as are also "Franny" Murray, U. of P.; line coach Fred Swank, Temple U.; "Bill" Dougherty, 1936 football captain at Temple. Captain of the Phillips nine, Hans Lobert, is expected, as is also Joseph Rainey, Pennsylvania boxing commissioner. The club also looks for an outstanding boxer and outstanding wrestler to attend.

The club will give awards to the members of the Langhorne-Middletown football team who were selected for the following all-county teams: Walter Carter and William McCahon, first team; "Chuck" Klein and John Chapman, honorable mention on first team; and Jacob Stradling, second team. To the "most valuable player" of the South Langhorne football team, William Forbes, an award will be presented. There will also be awards to the 1936 captain, William Phillips, and to coach Charles Carter. The captain-elect is Alva Johnson.

Reservations for the affair will be accepted until tomorrow evening.

Officers of the athletic club are President: John Morasch; vice-president, William McKnight; secretary, Harry McGrath; treasurer, William Phillips.

STARS AGAIN DESPITE HAVING WEAK HEAR

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Feb. 1—(INS)—Three years ago John Wallace participated at Illinois Wesleyan University, reputed to be one of the finest millers and basketball players in the state.

He made good on his reputation immediately, crashing the varsity court-lineup in his freshman year and running the eight-furlong distance for the varsity track team.

The combination ran him down physically, however, and when the doctors discovered he had a bad heart, they sounded taps on the lean star's athletic career. No more basketball and no more running.

Wallace obeyed the running half of their orders, and hung up his spiked shoes for good. For one semester he eschewed basketball, as well.

But his love for the cage game brought him out of his enforced retirement in the second half of his sophomore year, and when the doctors put their O. K. on his no-longer-faulty heart, Wallace jumped right back into his old forward position.

He's been the sensation of the Little Nineteen Conference since. Last year, when Illinois Wesleyan went through a 20-game schedule without suffering a single defeat, he was his team's highest scorer and one of the top scorers of the conference.

Recently, it was Wallace's sensational play, and the sixteen points he registered, which enabled the Green Wave to overcome a 37-11 half-time deficit in its battle with St. Thomas at Scranton and pull out a 48-43 victory.

An even six feet tall and weighing 180 pounds, Wallace's is the rangy build preferred by most basketball coaches. The Wesleyan captain has speed, his training as a miler has built up his stamina, and he has the courage, alertness and aggressiveness which make him the ideal leader, according to critics.

C. S. DRIVERS TO RACE IN GRAND PRIX

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 1—(INS)—Three American auto race drivers will be selected in the near future to meet foreign competition "in its own back yard" during the running of the million dollar Grand Prix of Tripoli in Libya, North Africa on May 9, according to an announcement by the Contest Board of the American Automobile Association, governing body of the sport.

Eligibility for the Tripoli event, according to Ted Allen, Contest Board Secretary, demands exceptional driving ability and the best in the type of cars now being constructed in the United States for road racing competition since the new Roosevelt Raceway has been added to big league racing.

The 8.1 mile course over which the Grand Prix of Tripoli is run each May, is one of the most difficult auto racing strips in the world. Speeds seldom attained in similar events were recorded during the 300-mile Tripoli Classic last year. The average for the race was 129.61 miles per hour and the fastest lap was turned at 140 miles per hour.

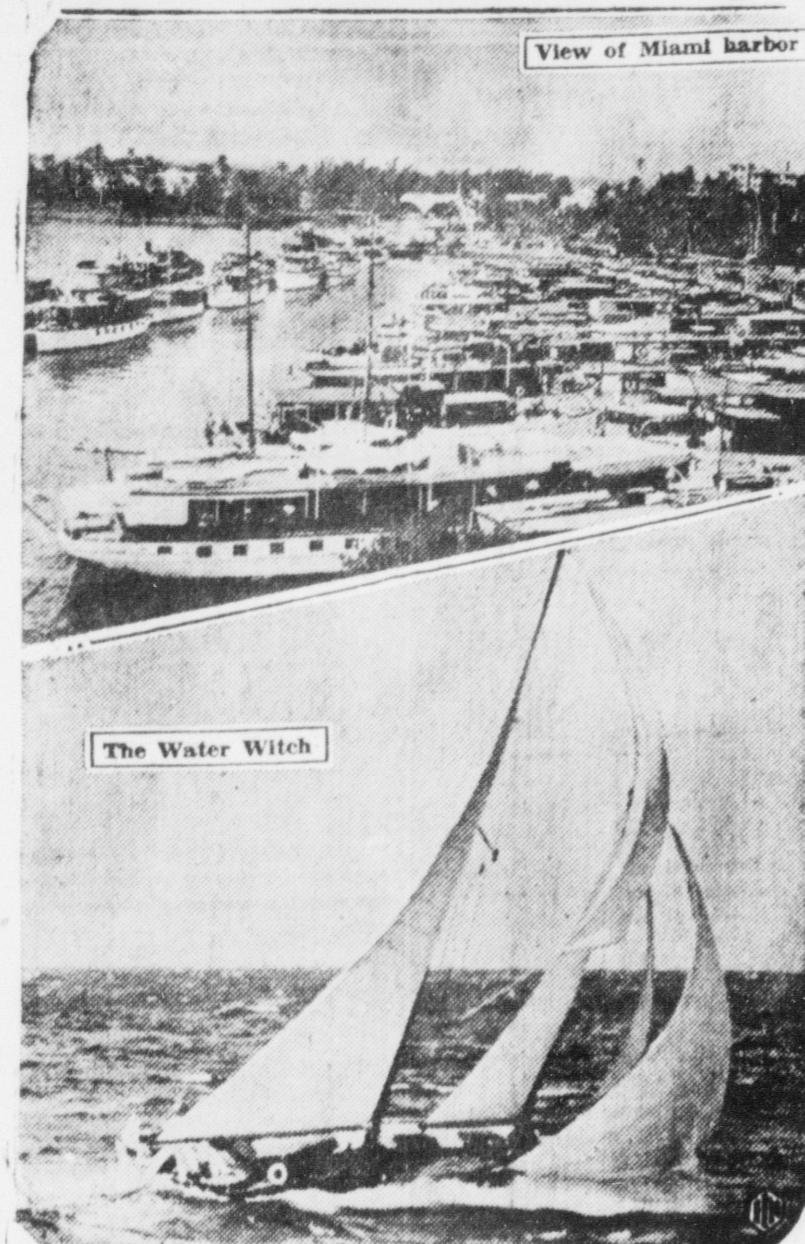
The United States has not been represented in the Grand Prix of Tripoli since 1934 when the veteran Pete DePaolo and Lou Moore were entered on specially built Miller Special cars.

The drivers selected for the Tripoli events will return to the United States in time to compete for America's rich awards in the 500-Mile International Sweepstakes at the historic Indianapolis Speedway on Decoration Day (Monday), May 31, Allen said.

BLACK-HEADED GULL

NEWBURYPORT, Mass.—(INS)—After weeks of patient waiting, ornithologists have succeeded in capturing a black-headed gull on the flats of the Merrimac River harbor, the second of that species ever observed in the Western hemisphere. The other time was in 1930 and the bird then was also seen here.

Ace Field Seeks Yacht Trophy



One of the most formidable fields ever gathered together for a yachting classic is lined up at Miami for the Miami-to-Nassau race starting Feb. 9. Yachtsmen from eight states are entered in the event which was won by the crack Water Witch last year.

HEELFY, WRIGHT ARE PARED FOR CONQUESTS

By Lou Bindman
(I. N. S. Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, Feb. 1—(INS)—Heelfly, the colt for which the brothers Guy and Paul Waggoner recently refused half bids, is being prepared for an ambitious program in 1937 and to help him along the road to far Jockey Wayne D. ("Cowboy") Wright has been engaged to handle the reins in some of the colt's chief engagements.

Heelfly is being aimed for a series of Derbys, particularly the Louisiana, Texas and Kentucky Derbys, as well as other major three-year-old contests.

Whether Wright will pilot Heelfly in the Kentucky Derby, however, depends upon his contract employer, Joseph E. Widener. If Widener starts a horse in the Blue Grass classic, then Wright's first duty will be to his boss, otherwise he will have the leg up on the Waggoner colt.

Should Heelfly be his Kentucky Derby mount, Wright will have another big chance of coping that historic number—a chance which he missed in the 1936 renewal when he piloted Brevity to second place behind Morton L. Schwartz's Bold Venture.

Earlier in the year, Wright seemed to have a sure thing champion and a veritable bonanza in his hands in Brevity, particularly when the Widener colt hit a world's speed record in winning the Florida Derby. Brevity was installed heavy favorite to cop the Kentucky Derby and it appeared from the sidelines that all Wright had to do was sit still on his mount and let the colt romp home to a big bag of cash, a floral necklace and a hero's acclaim.

But when the big issue arrived, Brevity, although still displaying championship mettle, failed by a bare few inches of the winner's goal. In the meantime, William Woodward's Granville, which might have coped it all, had been rendered out of the contest right at the start by losing his rider, Jimmy Stout. Had Granville, the best horse of 1936, received a ride in the Derby, Brevity might have finished even further back than the ultimate decision showed.

In the coming Kentucky Derby renewal, Widener lacks a thoroughbred of the calibre of Brevity and should the Widener colors not be represented, then Jockey Wright's chance to try his luck with Heelfly will come. Heelfly turned in a sensational triumph recently in the Juvenile Handicap at Arlington Downs, Tex., reeling off the six and a half furlongs in new track record time of 1:17.2-5, just one and a fifth seconds below the world's record.

Heelfly is a Texas homebred, running under the colors of Three D's Stock Farm, official turf name of the Waggoner Brothers' stable. Directly after Heelfly's performance in the Juvenile Handicap, the Waggoners turned a deaf ear to three offers for the son of Royal Ford.

The Waggoners have high hopes for Heelfly and Jockey Wayne Wright may be in the saddle to bring those hopes to a successful head.

SEEKS MOVIE TALENT

SOFIA, Bulgaria—(INS)—Professor C. G. Hefty, one of Europe's foremost proponents of vegetarianism, today is coming the Balkans in search of movie talent but he wants only those who are at least one hundred years old.

Professor Hefty plans to produce a film showing the benefits of a diet consisting mainly of coarse black bread, onions and sour milk. His characters will be Bulgarian shepherds who have reached the century mark.

EDGELY

Mr. and Mrs. George Bintliff, Jr., Clayton Bintliff and Miss Gladys Smith, Philadelphia, week-ended in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wolvin, Jr., have been stationed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lodge.

Cairo is Drive Vortex of Flood Swirl of Water

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"Levee topping operations will be completed before the crest reaches any point in this district."

The flood crest, menacing Cairo today, is not expected to "reach the city until Thursday or Friday of next week. Engineers predict a crest of between 53 and 54 feet. Slowly rising the river neared the 46 foot stage at Memphis today.

As the flood crest moved slowly downstream, leaving a wide swath of death and disaster Paducah was being abandoned to the mercy of the river.

Regular army troops directed evacuation and the approximate 4,000 residents remaining in the flood stricken city, already largely under water and without power and drinking water.

Above Paducah, through southern Illinois and Indiana, plans for the gigantic task of rehabilitating were made as the river crest here remained stationary or slowly receded.

The Army moved with military precision and dispatch today to complete the evacuation of Paducah and by tonight the city will be abandoned and left to the mercies of the Ohio River.

Approximately 25,000 residents have already been removed from the flood-stricken city.

As the final evacuation went forward today, flood waters continued to rise in the streets. A crest of 61 1/2 feet by Tuesday or Wednesday, has been predicted by rivermen.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Feb. 1—(INS)—

When Company Comes . . .

Lieut. Col. Eugene S. Reybold expressed confidence today that his engineers and army of workmen have whipped the Mississippi.

Main line levees are holding firm, he said, and workmen and supplies she felt so comfortable in the cape she was given to wear in the picture that she came in and asked us to sketch out a couple which would be appropriate for her personal wardrobe.

The Mississippi scored a minor victory when it burst through a secondary levee at Bessie, just below the Kentucky-Tennessee line and just above Tiptonville, where the river reverses its direction and flows north into Missouri in a tight horseshoe. The break indicated the river may cut a new channel from Bessie to Tiptonville, eliminating the horseshoe, when the Ohio's flood crest moves into the Mississippi, tomorrow or Wednesday.

The break spilled more water over thousands of acres of already inundated lowlands, but Tiptonville, where several thousand refugees are quartered, was in no immediate danger. All residents had been removed from the flooded area.

The break eased the strain on the levee at New Madrid, Mo., at the head of the 18-mile bend.

The Mississippi, swollen by the great volume of water pouring into it from the Ohio, has risen nearly to the top of the seawall at Hickman, Ky., but engineers reported the wall and the two foot bulkhead are holding and did not anticipate any trouble there.

Maj. Gen. George Moseley, in charge of the Army's flood relief work in the lower Mississippi Valley, declared today after an aerial survey of the region that the river "appears to be under control." All possible precaution has been taken against loss of life, he said, and little remains to be done except to care for refugees.

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Serve Double Kay Nuts to nibble on. We toast nuts fresh to your order with real Creamery Butter. Not at all like the ordinary kind merely cooked in oil. Insist on Double Kay Nuts—butter toasted for quality.

FASHION PARADE

By Orry-Kelly

(Famous Hollywood Stylist Writing For International News Service)

HOLLYWOOD—(INS)—Forecasting styles too far in advance is as thankless as predicting the end of the world. "It doesn't happen folks grin and say, "Ha-ha, he's wrong." If it should happen people are too busy doing something about it to recall who first made the prognostication. So we won't say the March breezes will be fluttering ten million capes, but we

do say at the moment a lass or lady

can't go wrong in a cape.

Frieda Inescort, who, with a galaxy

of other stars, is working in "Call It A Day," is an out and out cape addict. Since she is the tall and regal type she prefers because anything goes. Hollywood is silver fox mad right now, but there are some colorings, such as the blueness of Anita Louise, that are more flattered by the red fox, so the brighter fox, too, finds himself in a lady's cape.

SOMETHING NEW

MELBOURNE—(INS)—Although they have not met for 52 years, Mr. John McHugh of London, England, and Mr. W. B. Bates, of North Wilmot, Victoria, frequently converse with each other—and they do not use wireless or telephone. They have their remarks "taken down" on gramophone records, which they then post to each other.

NANTUCKET, Mass.—How Moses, pet cat of Mrs. Viola Johnston, knew his mistress was taken to a hospital is causing wonderment among residents of the island. Nobody knows how the cat knew Mrs. Johnston was at the hospital, but the feline appeared outside its mistress' hospital window, and attracted her attention with its meowing.

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